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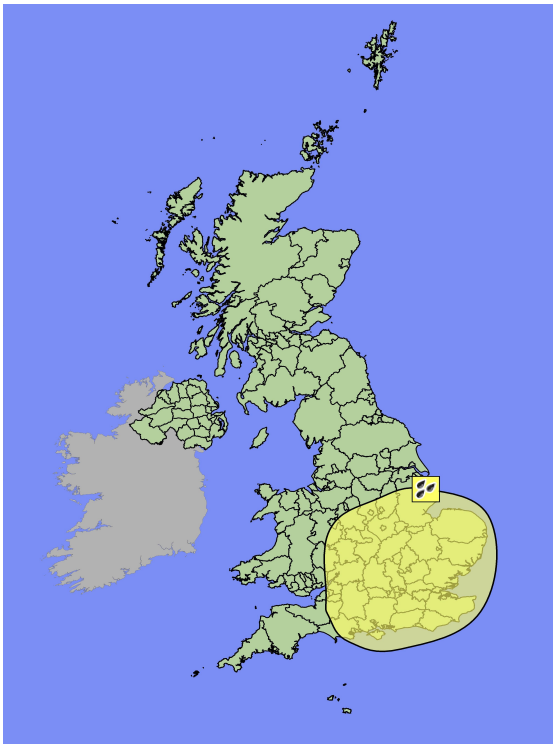

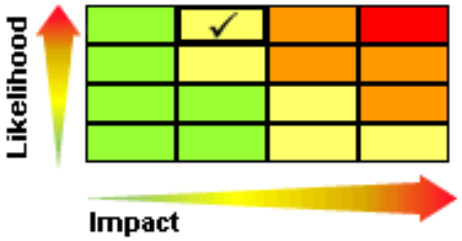

Chief Forecasters Assessment
An unstable airmass is expected to cover much of the southern half of Britain on Saturday. Some 15 mm of rain could fall locally in less than an hour with isolated totals of 30 mm possible in 2 or 3 hours. As is usual with these situations, not all areas may be affected, but where heavy rain does occur, some localised surface water flooding is likely.

Problems may well be compounded in some places by the delayed response of some river catchments to heavy rainfall that occurs during Friday.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **00:05 on Sat, 14th Jul 2012** until **20:00 on Sat, 14th Jul 2012**

A band of heavy and locally thundery rain will move slowly southwards across central and southeastern parts of England during the early hours of Saturday. Some heavy showers will follow on across these regions during Saturday daytime - the worst of these may well occur over counties to the south and east of London.

The public should be aware of the risk of further localised flooding given that the ground remains saturated across much of the area.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/weather/uk/uk_forecast_warnings.html

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